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## PATENT

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In re Application of:

David Becker et al.

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Examiner: George A. Goudreau

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For: METHODS FOR ENHANCING SILICON  
DIOXIDE TO SILICON NITRIDE  
SELECTIVITY (AS PREVIOUSLY  
AMENDED)

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 25, 2003 AND**  
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This paper responds to the office action dated September 25, 2003. As this response is filed within the three-month period for response, it is believed that no extension of time fees are due. However, this response also includes a Terminal Disclaimer, for which a fee of \$110.00 is believed due pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d) and 1.321(b)(4). This Office is authorized to deduct this terminal disclaimer fee, and any other necessary fees, from Deposit Account No. 501922, referencing docket number 102-0072US-4.

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.